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To Department of Justice

Hello, I'm a student who is interested in studying computer science at State University of New York at Stony Brook. First of all, I'm very disappointed at the outcome of the trial. I was in the United States when the trial was on going, and I fully understand the effect of the tragedy of September 11th on the trial. Although I'm not a citizen of the United States of America, and I don't fully understand the importance of Microsoft as an national financial benefactor, I feel that trial was too much subdued due to the national crisis. As far as my understanding goes, United States has built it's economic strength upon technological basis. Computer technology is the most outgoing technology of the age and the Microsoft is the leader of the computer software. They are clearly violating the anti-trust law. When there are less than 10 corporations competing in one specific field of business then the business is being monopolized. I've used almost every version of Microsoft Windows and it's clearly becoming more focused on the Microsoft corporation itself. I believe this convenience is winning the market. We need to provide more chance and equal opportunity to other venture businesses that's being blocked by the Microsoft giant. This trial may benefit American economy for the moment, but we need to realize that it is only a temporary solution. I think that the issue must be brought back into the court for more fair and just solution.

Sincerely,

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